GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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HELIPAD AIR AMBULANCE FACILITY
Rao Shri Sambasiva Rayapati

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is any proposal to provide a helipad and air ambulance facility in the All India Institute of Medical Sciences;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the details of other hospitals in country having similar facilities?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR HEALTH & FAMILY WELFARE (SMT. PANABAKA LAKSHMI)

(a) Yes Sir, there is a proposal for development of a helipad on the rooftop of Jai Prakash Narain Trauma Centre of AIIMS.

(b) The roof of the wards block of the building is designed to take the load of helicopter. The work of modifications and development of site is under process to make the same usable as helipad. It may take approx. six months before effective start of the said facility at the Centre.

(c) No other Central Government hospitals in the country having similar facilities.